

NEWS BULLETIN

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For Your Information from...CORNELL COOPERATIVE EXTENSION OF SUFFOLK COUNTY (CCE)

Upcoming Events

PARENTING WORKSHOP: EATING HEALTHY ON THE RUN

May 21 7:00 – 9:00p.m., 423 Griffing Avenue, Riverhead

Participants will receive tips on food shopping, beverages and how to recognize healthy and unhealthy choices at popular restaurants. Fee \$10. Call (631) **727-7850**, ext. **340** for information

MARINE MEADOWS

June 2 1:00 – 2:00pm, Agawam Park

June 8 3:00 – 5:30pm, New Suffolk waterfront

Participants will weave eelgrass shoots (harvested from healthy donor meadows in local waters) into burlap planting discs. Once assembled, these discs will be planted by SCUBA certified CCE Marine Program staff in carefully selected restoration sites in our local estuaries. These newly created "marine meadows" will serve as important marine habitat for many species of finfish and shellfish. Registration is free, but required as space is limited. For more information on the Marine Meadows Program, or to register for these events, please contact Kimberly Barbour, Habitat Restoration Outreach Specialist at kp237@cornell.edu or (631) 852-8660.

Cornell offers a variety of CAMP EXPERIENCES – something for everyone!

View their website www.ccesuffolk.org for more information.

The Children's Garden in Yaphank
Peconic Dunes 4-H Camp in Peconic
Sea Explorers Marine Camp in Babylon
Sea Stars Marine Camp in Northport
Camp @ the Suffolk County Farm in Yaphank
Robert K. Sweeney Fun Days in Yaphank

